

IFB Attachment H

Description of Debts Frequently Sent to CCU

Subsequent Injury Fund (SIF)

SIF bills insurance companies, self-insured employers, and uninsured employees at the rate of 6.5% of any Permanent \$ Award or Settlement paid to an individual injured on the job. Unpaid SIF assessments of 6.5% of the Permanent Award or Settlement are referred to CCU.

Uninsured Employers' Fund (UEF)

Employee is injured on the job. The employer did not have worker's compensation insurance. UEF pays the claims and bills the uninsured employer.

Health Claim Arbitration (HCA)

A patient sues a doctor for malpractice. Before seeking damages by lawsuit, the patient must go to arbitration. The patient and/or doctor are billed for the cost of the arbitration.

State Treasurer

The State self-insures against claims filed by citizens. The State will pay the claim and bill the third parties involved in the accident.

Assessments and Taxation (SDAT)

Unpaid gross receipt taxes billed to approximately 60 public service companies. Also late penalty fees charged by the State for the late filing of the Personal Property Return.

Injured Workers' Insurance Fund (IWIF)

These debts are unpaid workers' compensation insurance premium bills.

State Highway Administration (SHA)

A citizen will run his/her car into a State sign or pole or other property belonging to the State. The citizen is billed for the replacement cost.

Motor Vehicle Administration (MVA)

Normally an insurance lapse violation/fine. Also bounced check debts caused when checks to MVA for payments of fees and excise taxes are returned.

Natural Resources (DNR)

Could be bounced checks for licenses or other assorted debts, or rents due for property leased from the agency.

State Hospital Debts

For the cost of patient care received at one of the State's hospitals or nursing homes. They are:

Western Maryland Center
Deer's Head Center
Walter P. Carter Center
Thomas F. Finan Center
Crownsville Center
Eastern Shore Center
Springfield Hospital Center

Mt. Wilson Center
Rosewood Center
Holly Center
Upper Shore Comm. Mental Health Ctr.
Brandenberg Mental Retardation Ctr.
Potomac Center
Western Maryland Skilled Care

Spring Grove Hospital Center

Clifton T. Perkins Hospital Ctr.

Local Health Department

Bills for out-service patient care provided by all 23 counties and Baltimore City.

Medical Care Program Administration

Debts owed by private insurance companies to reimburse the Medical Care Program Administration. NOTE: If the insurance policy does not cover debts, they are zeroed out. The patient is not billed.

Department of Human Resources (DHR)

Overpayments of Temporary Cash Assistance (TCA), Food Stamps, or Day Care Assistance. Overpayments are made by all 23 counties in the State and Baltimore City.

Home Improvement Commission (MHIC)

Debts owed by home improvement contractors who did not complete the job or did shoddy work.

Public Safety or Correctional Institutions

Inmates do damage to State property. Effective 10/1/94, court ordered victim restitution debts began being referred to CCU.

State Colleges and Universities

There are 14 State colleges or universities. Most of the bills are for unpaid tuition, fees, parking fines, board, or student loans. The colleges are:

University of Maryland College Park (UMCP)	Bowie State University (BSU)
University of Maryland Baltimore (UMAB)	Towson University (TU)
University of Maryland Eastern Shore (UMES)	Frostburg State University (FSU)
University of Maryland Baltimore County (UMBC)	Coppin State College (CSC)
University of Baltimore (UB)	Salisbury State University (SSU)
University College (UC)	St. Mary's College
Morgan State University (MSU)	Baltimore City Community College (BCCC)

Community Colleges

Since July 1, 1997, CCU was authorized by Maryland law to collect the debts of the State's community colleges if the college adopts a resolution for CCU to collect their accounts. Thirteen community colleges are currently referring their debts to CCU. They are:

Anne Arundel	Baltimore Cty	Carroll	Cecil	Chesapeake	Frederick
Garrett	Hagerstown	Harford	Howard	Montgomery	
PG County	Wor-Wic				

Department of the Environment (DOE)

Fines for pollution of some type, or pollution clean up costs.

NSF Checks or Payroll Overpayments

Are received from all State agencies.